B1 (Official Form 1 Case) 15-28692 Doc 1 Filed 08/21/15 Entered 08/21/15 15:13:36 Desc Main UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY DOCUMENT Page 1 of 4 **VOLUNTARY PETITION** NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS, EASTERN DIVISION Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle): Hartford, Thomas All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names): (include married, maiden, and trade names): Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)/Complete EIN Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)/Complete EIN (if more than one, state all): 6322 (if more than one, state all): Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): 106 W. Calendar Court, #221 LaGrange, Illinois 60525 ZIP CODE ZIP CODE County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: COOK Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address): Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address): ZIP CODE ZIP CODE Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above): ZIP CODE Type of Debtor **Nature of Business Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which** (Form of Organization) the Petition is Filed (Check one box.) (Check one box.) (Check one box.) Health Care Business Chapter 7 Chapter 15 Petition for Individual (includes Joint Debtors) Single Asset Real Estate as defined in Chapter 9 Recognition of a Foreign Chapter 11 See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form. 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B) Main Proceeding Chapter 12 Chapter 15 Petition for Corporation (includes LLC and LLP) Railroad х Chapter 13 Recognition of a Foreign Partnership Stockbroker Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities, check Commodity Broker Nonmain Proceeding this box and state type of entity below.) Clearing Bank Other Tax-Exempt Entity Nature of Debts **Chapter 15 Debtors** (Check box, if applicable.) (Check one box.) Country of debtor's center of main interests: X Debts are primarily consumer ☐ Debts are Debtor is a tax-exempt organization debts, defined in 11 U.S.C. primarily Each country in which a foreign proceeding by, regarding, or under title 26 of the United States § 101(8) as "incurred by an business debts. against debtor is pending: individual primarily for a Code (the Internal Revenue Code). personal, family, or household purpose." Filing Fee (Check one box.) Chapter 11 Debtors Check one box: X Full Filing Fee attached. Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is Check if: unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form 3A. Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$2,490,925 (amount subject to adjustment Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter 7 individuals only). Must on 4/01/16 and every three years thereafter). attach signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B. Check all applicable boxes: A plan is being filed with this petition. Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b). Statistical/Administrative Information THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors. 崮 Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors. Estimated Number of Creditors Х 200-999 50-99 100-199 5.001-10.001-25,001-50.001-1-49 1.000-Over 50,000 100,000 5,000 10,000 25,000 100,000 Estimated Assets Х \$0 to \$50,001 to \$100,001 to \$500,001 \$1,000,001 \$10,000,001 \$50,000,001 \$100,000,001 \$500,000,001 More than \$50,000 \$500,000 to \$1 billion \$1 billion \$100,000 to \$1 to \$10 to \$50 to \$100 to \$500 million million million million million **Estimated Liabilities** х  $\Box$ П П 

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All Prior Bankruptcy Cases Filed Within Last 8 Years (If more than two, attach additional sheet.)				
	orthern District of Illinois	Case Number: <b>13-37655</b>	Date Filed: September 24, 2013	
Location Where Filed:		Case Number:	Date Filed:	
Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or Affiliate of this Debtor ( Name of Debtor:		(If more than one, attach additional sheet.)  Case Number:	Date Filed:	
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District:		Relationship:	Judge:	
Exhibit A  (To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11.)  Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition.		Exhibit B  (To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts.)  I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I have informed the petitioner that [he or she] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each such chapter. I further certify that I have delivered to the debtor the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).		
		Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)	Date)	
Exhibit C  Does the debtor own or have possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public health or safety?  Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition.  No.				
Exhibit D  (To be completed by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must complete and attach a separate Exhibit D.)  Exhibit D, completed and signed by the debtor, is attached and made a part of this petition.  If this is a joint petition:  Exhibit D, also completed and signed by the joint debtor, is attached and made a part of this petition.				
Information Regarding the Debtor - Venue  (Check any applicable box.)  Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of business, or principal assets in this District for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other District.  There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership pending in this District.  Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal place of business or principal assets in the United States in this District, or has no principal place of business or assets in the United States but is a defendant in an action or proceeding [in a federal or state court] in this				
Certification by a Debtor Who Resides as a Tenant of Residential Property (Check all applicable boxes.)  Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of debtor's residence. (If box checked, complete the following.)  (Name of landlord that obtained judgment)				
	(Address of landlord)  Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are circumstances under which the debtor would be permitted to cure the entire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment for possession, after the judgment for possession was entered, and			
	Debtor has included with this petition the deposit with the court of any rent that would become due during the 30-day period after the filing of the petition.			
	Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(l)).			

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Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Join		Signature of a Foreign Representative	
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided and correct.  [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily con chosen to file under chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed u or 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief avail chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7.  [If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition prepare have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b). I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, specified in this petition.	sumer debts and has nder chapter 7, 11, 12 lable under each such er signs the petition] I	I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, that I am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition.  (Check only <b>one</b> box.)  I request relief in accordance with chapter 15 of title 11, United States Code. Certified copies of the documents required by 11 U.S.C. § 1515 are attached.  Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1511, I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11 specified in this petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached.	
X Signature of Debtor Thomas Hartford		X (Signature of Foreign Representative)	
X Signature of Joint Debtor		(Printed Name of Foreign Representative)	
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Telephone Number (if not represented by attorney)		Date	
Date Signature of Attorney*		Signature of Non-Attorney Bankruptcy Petition Preparer	
X /s/ David R. Herzog Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) David R. Herzog Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s) Herzog & Schwartz, P.C. Firm Name  77 W. Washington Street, Suite 1717 Chicago, Illinois 60602 Address (312) 977-1600 Telephone Number  Date		I declare under penalty of perjury that: (1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; (2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is attached.  Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer  Social-Security number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual,	
*In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also co certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry	onstitutes a that the information	state the Social-Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)	
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Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)  I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.		Address  X Signature	
The debtor requests the relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.		Date	
X		Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social-Security number is provided above.	
Signature of Authorized Individual			
Printed Name of Authorized Individual		Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual.	
Title of Authorized Individual  Date		If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.	
		A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or	

both. 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.

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David R. Herzog defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; (2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)
Herzog & Schwartz, P.C. required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor 77 W. Washington Street, Suite 1717 or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is Chicago, Illinois 60602 attached. Address (312) 977-1600 Telephone Number Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer Date Social-Security number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual, state the Social-Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.) \*In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect. Address Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership) I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true Signature and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor. Date The debtor requests the relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition. Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social-Security number is provided above. X Signature of Authorized Individual Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted Printed Name of Authorized Individual in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an

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